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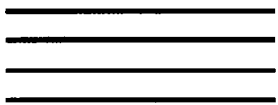
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Current Notes

EAST ASIA

China:

Simultaneous Nuclear Tests Conducted

[] [] China has conducted a nuclear test at the Lop Nur test site. []

[] China planned to detonate multiple devices simultaneously in anticipation of an end to nuclear testing worldwide.

— *The new first stage could make possible smaller warheads with high yield, thereby increasing the range of their delivery platforms.* []

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